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Title: PREVENTION OF ICE FORMATION BY)	
APPLYING ELECTRIC POWER TO A LIQUID)	
WATER LAYER)	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed 29 August 2003, Applicant provides the following amendments and remarks. The present paper is timely filed as it is being filed together with a one month petition for extension of time.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper and include 1 attached sheet of corrected drawings.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.